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Submitted By	Organization	Testifier Position	Present at Hearing
Michael Golojuch Jr	LGBT Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawaii	Support	Yes

Comments:

Aloha Representatives,

The LGBT Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawaii supports the passage of HR 57.

Mahalo for your consideration and for the opportunity to testify.

Mahalo,

Michael Golojuch, Jr.

Chair

LGBT Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawaii

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Claire Husted	Individual	Support	No

Comments:

Chair San Buenaventura and Vice Chair Nakamura of the House Committee on Human Services & Homelessness

Subject: House Resolution 57 and House Concurrent Resolution 56: Requesting the Department of Department of Education to Establish training programs for the PREVENTION, identification, and reporting of child abuse and neglect

April 3, 2019

My name is Claire Husted, and I am a concerned citizen. I am testifying in **strong support** of HR 57/HCR 56.

This resolution supports a preventative approach to child abuse through the education of everyone involved with a child, both the school system and families. I totally support such a proactive, early intervention approach that helps improve effective communication with children, identify ways to defuse anger and aggression so that it is not taken out on a child, and to interrupt the epidemic of bullying. Too many children have already paid a high price for the lack of having a preventative approach.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in **strong support** of this legislation as it is of great importance to our children now and in future generations.

Sincerely,

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Nora Sanford	Individual	Support	Yes

Comments:

Chair and Vice Chair of the Judiciary Committee

Subject: House Resolution 57 and House Concurrent Resolution 56: Requesting the Department of Department of Education to Establish training programs for the PREVENTION, identification, and reporting of child abuse and neglect

April 3, 2019

My name is Nora Husted Sanford, and I am a concerned citizen. I am testifying in **strong support** of HR 57/HCR 56.

I am also specifically requesting that HR 57/HCR 56 be amended to include "TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR PREVENTING, identifying, and reporting child abuse and neglect". It is essential that there is a standardized initial training that all parents, educational staff, and students participate that protect our student population and PREVENT systematic bullying in our schools and potential abuse at home. Change won't happen overnight, but it is critical that all stakeholders learn the fundamental skills of listening, communication, and conflict resolution before there is more future harm done to our children in and out of our schools.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in **strong support** on this matter of great importance to our future generations and I strongly encourage you to amend this resolution to put into place preventative training for the safety and wellbeing of all families, staff and students of Hawaii.

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Chair San Buenaventura and Vice Chair Nakamura of the House Committee on Human Services & Homelessness

Subject: House Resolution 57 and House Concurrent Resolution 56: Requesting the Department of Department of Education to Establish training programs for the PREVENTION, identification, and reporting of child abuse and neglect

March 25, 2019

My name is Jonathan E. Fern, and I am a concerned citizen. I am testifying in **strong support** of HR 57/HCR 56.

This resolution will help prevent one of the most fundamental causes of a wide range of social and economic problems in our community. If we can have healthier children – not just physically healthy, but socially and mentally healthy children – we can have a healthier society. This is a crucial investment in our future.

I am a retired schoolteacher. I helped start Ho`ala School in Wahiawa over 35 years ago. I continue to teach classes to parents, so that they can more effectively nurture their children and more effectively work out issues that every family encounters. This sort of training is enormously valuable. Please pass this bill – HR 57/HCR 56.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify in **strong support** on this matter of great importance to our future generations.

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